

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Title: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR PACKAGE WARP COMPENSATION IN AN INTEGRATED HEAT SPREADER

Assignee: Intel Corporation

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REMARKS

Claims 8, 10, 12, and 20 have been amended, no claims have been canceled or added. Claims 1-25 remain pending.

The amendments to the specification and claims are fully supported by the specification as originally filed, and no new matter has been added. The amendments are made to correct typographical errors. The amendments to the claims are not intended to limit the scope of equivalents to which any claim element may be entitled. Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the above-identified application in view of the amendments above.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's representative at (612) 373-6970 if prosecution may be assisted thereby.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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